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Persons calling for any of the Letters in this List will please say, "Advertised,"

A—Augustus, F
Anderson, J
Anderson, W
B—Blondell, W
Baker, R
Baker, P H
Bell, Mrs W
Baker, S
Barnswell, R
Barnett, B
Berneswell, J A
Bentley, H
Boake, W
Boland, J
Brackley, V
Breslaner, T
C—Clarton, R T
Clindennin, J W
Capiolis, G N
Clendinning, J
Campbell, J
Chapman, W J
Carr, J
Collings, W P
Coker, Mrs A M
Cutler, C H
Coburn, F
Colvin, R W
Cook, A S
Courtoney, W F
Cox, W H
Calhere, D R
D—Deaveau, C
Dargan, J
Douglas, W
Dry, M
Dunn, J
Douglas, J
E—Etty, G
Evers, H
Everest, —
F—Fletcher, J
Fletcher, J H
Flynn, E
Farmer, R H K
Folsom, T B
Fraser, Mrs E
G—Gilbert, G L
Greene, S
Goepel, P D
Griffin, H S
H—Hardie, Miss M
Havisine, J K
Henderson, J
Harris, F
Hardie, M J
Hartnell, H J
Hilton, N
Hart, J H
Harding, F
Hood, J
Hume, J
Housey, Wm
Hume, F
Hutchinson, J H
J—Joncen, Miss C
Johnson, E
K—Keeler, J
Ruffe, J
Kaille, P
L—Lean, E A
Latz, S
Landymore, A
Lester, P
Lamb, F F
Lazard, Freres & Co.
Lee, F
L—Lewis, J
M—Maniord, S & O
Merritt, —
Marguet, F
Mason, Mrs H
May, A
Miller, J
Murray W G
Munro, Mrs W
Moss, Mrs J
Morrison, A G
McKenzie, M
McLellen, Mrs A G
McAllister, S J
McDonell H J
McCallum, D
McDougall, P
N—Newport, T L
Nichols, Miss C
O—O'Leary, F
Orton, H P
Ollson, E
Osborne, J
P—Pickering, S W
Patterson, R
Perry, J F
Porter, J
Paul, A
Pritchard, J A
Perpens, Mrs C
Porter, J
Philbrook, E H
Pinkerton, J
Puitz, J
Payne, F
R—Redmond, J J
Raine, Capt. W V
Reid, D B
Robertson, M L H
Ross, J
Rowett, R
Roff, H
S—Seamon, D
Shea, J
Smythe, Wm
Sears, J
Shanks, H
Smith, J G
Slater, J
Simpson, W
Smalley, J
Smith, J E
Smith, Mrs J
Stewart, J
Speed, T W
Spencer, T
Stevens, J C
Stevens, G
Stark, L
Sutherland, K
Sullivan, J
St. Pair, M
Stewart, Mrs E
Stewart, P
Stuart, A F
T—Thomas, G
Thistleton, J
Tod, J
Tod, A
W—Walker, A H
Williams, A
Weigle, J E
Walsh, J
Wilkins, —
Walsh, J
Wheeler, A

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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
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Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M.	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 8 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

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All orders packed with dispatch and accuracy, made up into convenient sized packages and delivered on board the steamer Free of Charge for Drayage and Wharfage

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,
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Notices.

Dominion Government Public Works.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, ENDORSED "TENders for Blasting Rocks in Victoria Harbor," will be received by me until 4 p.m., of 24th July, for blasting the Beaver and Tuzo Rocks. Plans and Specifications to be seen on and after Thursday next. The department does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender. Security required for faithful performance of contract.

B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, Resdt. Engineer.
Victoria, B.C., June 29, 1874. jy1

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELLMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh4

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Notice to Mariners.

A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high built on it has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.

The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three-quarters of a mile to one mile distant.

Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my12 3m

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

English & French Pianos,

PARIS HARMONIUMS,

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

A Large Assortment of

Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.

Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.

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☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments

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ORDERS LEFT AT MESSRS. T. ALLSOP & Co's Office, Government street cor. of Bastion; and W. J. JEFFREE'S corner of Government and Yates st or at the office on the Wharf, Store street, will promptly executed. no8

Notice of Removal.

R. MAYNARD,

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that he has removed his business to the

CORNER OF JOHNSON & DOUGLAS STREETS,

Where with a fine assortment of custom-made Goods and of Superior workmanship, he begs to solicit a continuance of former patronage. my8

G. D. A. GOULTER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,

And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet" (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Kneecaps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hair, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.

Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices

STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's. ja20 3m

TO THE AFFLICTED.

Seven Seals, or Golden Wonder.

MR. PIERRE CLAIR,

AGENT FOR THE SALE IN BRITISH Columbia of this sovereign remedy, has removed from Yale and may be found on

Johnson street, Victoria, at the store formerly occupied by Moore & Co., Druggists.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF THE MEDICINE ON HAND.

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Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 14TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

The Last Ditch.

The meagre, though under the circumstances ridiculous, question asked by the local Government when Mr. Mackenzie's relaxed railway policy had been submitted and their views thereon solicited, was: "Will the proposals be considered binding by the Dominion Government," thus leaving it to be inferred that the terms themselves were unexceptionable. The quibble about "credentials" was a miserable one at best, and anybody could see that it was merely raised in the absence of a better pretext for breaking off negotiations which, if followed up, must have ended in a dissolution of the legislative body and an appeal to the country which might have cost Ministers their seats. It is a noticeable circumstance that for some time nothing has been heard about "credentials." That position has evidently been abandoned, and a new one taken up. The proposal submitted through Mr. Edgar, we are now told, was of such a character as not to be entitled to a moment's consideration. It was, in fact, a proposal to build the railway on the Island at once, and give the Mainland a waggon-road *instead* of the railway,—a proposition so monstrous, we are told, that the local Government were quite justified in peremptorily rejecting it. This reminds us of Cuvier's comment on somebody's definition of a crab as a fish that walks backwards, that, "with the exception that a crab is not a fish, and that it does not walk backwards, the description is admirable." With the exception that Mr. Mackenzie's proposal was nothing of the kind, and that the local Government did not reject it, this last refuge of the Administration is impregnable. Had the proposal been what it is now sought to make it appear, or anything like it, does anyone for a moment imagine that Ministers would not have promptly rejected it upon its own merits, instead of having recourse to the weakest possible quibble about credentials? The very boldness of the attempts now being made to misrepresent the real nature of the proposal, and thereby create temporary shelter for themselves, only tends to show to what a terrible straits Ministers are brought. And what reasonable hope for the success of this desperate game can buoy them up, we confess that we are at a loss to conceive; for we venture to think there is not to be found on the whole Mainland a matured person stupid enough to be misled by such transparent, such brazen-faced misrepresentation. The people there know perfectly well what Mr. Mackenzie's railway policy is. Apart altogether from any relaxation or any concession on the part of Columbia, his fixed policy and determination has been and is now to commence railway construction on the Mainland as soon as the route can be determined and the work put under contract. This he and his organs have everywhere declared. But, in consideration of British Columbia consenting to the substitution of a fixed minimum annual money expenditure for the time limit of the treaty, Mr. Mackenzie expressed willingness, *in addition to that*, to construct *at once* a waggon-road and telegraph along the entire railway route; to commence railway construction beyond the Cascade Range with a view to securing to the country in the interior the fullest possible benefits of consequent expenditure; and to build a railway on Vancouver Island for which he does not consider Canada in any way bound. Such is a brief but honest and fair exposition of what is known as the relaxed railway policy which Mr. Mackenzie was prepared to substitute for the old, impossible obligations of the broken covenant, and under which the work of actual construction might now have been going forward, permeating the country with confidence and prosperity; but which was evaded in what we must be permitted to think a selfish and cowardly manner by our Government.

Smashing a Popular Idol.

[London Times' Paris Correspondence, June 1st]

There seems but one opinion to day with respect to the speech of M. Ledru Rollin, and it is evidently in harmony with what was said in last night's despatch to you. "Deplorably weak" is the general verdict. Even the friendly *Rappel* can make but a lame apology, and thinks he was wrong to reply to interruptions which did not deserve so much honour at his hands, and which diverted him from his subject, made him lose the thread of his discourse, and caused his speech to resemble a dialogue rather than a Parliamentary oration. This is quite the effect produced on the reader by the shorthand report in to-day's official journal. The *Republique Francaise* describes the sentiments of political hatred which caused the illustrious member of the Government of 1848 to be received like a personal enemy by the adversaries of Democracy and of the Republic, and then proceeds to damn him with faint praise. After such a phrase M. Gambetta's argan can afford to be generous to the rival of the ex-dictator. The *Siecle* is but tepid in its laudation of a harangue which it defines as eminently instructive, and which it declares to have disconcerted the Right by its moderation. The *Nouvelliste* does not mince its disapproval. "What has become," it says, "of that firm carriage of the head, that majestic attitude, which produced such an effect 25 years ago? Then M. Ledru Rollin filled the tribune, now he scarcely occupies it, and the effect he produces is that of a corpulent English brewer. On both Left and Right the disappointment was general at the sight of these sad remnants of former greatness. There was a total want of energy, repartee, no ardour, no fire. His speech might be condensed into two lines. He told the Assembly it had no right to lay hands on the rights and powers of its electors, and that if it did so it would cancel its own powers. All the rest was 'leather and prunella.' Such," concludes the *Nouvelliste*, "was the political and oratorical testament of M. Ledru Rollin, who has now, like the philosophical rat in the fable, nothing left to do but to creep back into the cheese in which he has made for himself an opulent retreat." The dispassionate *Debats* expected better things from M. Ledru Rollin, and regrets that he should have lost himself in a labyrinth of little anecdotes. "To-day might be seen," it says, "how little remains of a Radical when the flow of speech abandons him and his voice fails him and his gestures become heavy and ungraceful. The Chamber listened at first with curiosity and would have listened afterwards with attention if he had spoken as it had a right to expect; but the emptiness of his sonorous phrases soon became manifest and after that the Assembly somewhat lost its gravity.

The *Constitutionel* ironically laments the decline of the stout and stentorian demagogue of 1848, now become almost a driveller. The Bonapartist sheet predicts that the Radical journals will abound in panegyrics, and that the most ardent in eulogium will be the *Republique Francaise*, which will bury under roses, or rather under poppies, the extinguished star of which the return to the horizon caused some uneasiness to M. Gambetta. Nevertheless the *Constitutionnel* is of opinion that M. Ledru Rollin ought to be heard again before condemnation, and that he may take his revenge another day. This seems rather doubtful. This is certainly not an epoch of political and Parliamentary giants in France, and yet the great men of 1848 do not shine in 1874. M. Louis Blanc proved a failure in the National Assembly of 1874, and now M. Ledru Rollin has done even worse. To-night's *Journal de Paris* reproaches the men of the Right for having taken any notice of what it calls M. Rollin's buffooneries and calumnies, and says that they should have contented themselves with observing the despondency of the Left, the despair with which they beheld the fall of their idol, and were fain to confess to themselves that the great god Pan was dead.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

DR. THOMPSON,

(Firm HATCH & THOMPSON)

DENTISTS,

Portland,

WILL VISIT VICTORIA, REMAINING one month, viz: from August 1st to September 1st.

Those desiring his services will be cheerfully waited upon. jy14

Wild Land Tax.

THE COURT OF APPEAL FOR THE WILD Land Tax, under "The Land Tax Act, 1873," for Victoria District, Esquimalt Town and District, North and South Saanich, Metchosin, Sooke, Lake and Highland Districts, will hold its last sitting at the office of Richard Woods, Esq., Sheriff, Police Barracks, Bastion street, Victoria, on Monday, July 20th, 1874, at ONE o'clock, p.m.

F. J. ROSCOE,
jy14 R. WILLIAMS.

DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,

(FROM CANTON)

Surgeon and Physician,

CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERICAN Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted. jy11 1m

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MME. ANNA BISHOP,

THE WORLD-RENOWNED CANTATRICE,

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—ON—

Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings, July 14, & 15,

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MADAME BISHOP on these occasions will be assisted by the following artistes;

MRS. MARRINER, the favorite Soprano,
MR. ALFRED WILKIE, the popular Tenor,
MR. WALTER C. CAMPBELL, the eminent Basso,
MR. ADOLPH WEDRLBS, the brilliant Pianist.

Entire Change of Programme each Evening

Admission, $1; Reserved Seats, $1 25; Pit 50 cents; Private Boxes $8 and $10.

Doors open at 7:30; Concert to begin at 8:15 p.m.

The box-office for the sale of reserved seats will be opened at the Theatre each day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m, when seats can be secured for either evening.
jy9 HARRY J. LASK, Agent.

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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE TOP OF FORT ST.,

VICTORIA, V.I.

THE SECOND TERM OF THE FIFTEENTH year of this institution will begin on the 9th day July, 1874. Parents or guardians who wish to place their wards or daughters as Boarding or Day Scholars will please make timely application to

MADAME PETIBEAU,
TERMS MODERATE. Principal.
je30 1m

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Fresh Supplies by every steamer. Highest Cash Prices Paid for Farm Produce.

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NOTICE.

BROKE INTO THE PREMISES OF THE undersigned, at Beckley Farm, a Bay Horse, black mane and tail.

If not called for within one week will be sold to pay damages. [je30 1w] FRANK LAXIN.

STRAWBERRIES!

PARTIES DESIRING STRAWBERRIES for Preserving, can get them in any quantity at the

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je19 W. B. TOWNSEND.

New Advertisements.

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Wanted.

A YOUNG MAN, WHO CAN RIDE AND drive, to carry out meat. Apply to

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Tonbridge Ware.

A WELL SELECTED STOCK OF THESE goods, comprising

Desks, Workboxes, Reading Stands and a variety of Smallware,

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SEVERAL BREECH-LOADING C. F. GUNS complete with apparatus in case, for sale from $62. ALSO—2 Muzzle-Loaders, at

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TO BE RAFFLED FOR BY 75 MEMBERS at $1 each. Can be seen at

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Orders.

MR. DAVID HUNTER WILL RETURN to England in about a month, and will be glad to receive orders, however small, to Purchase Goods on Commission. je27 2w

Notice to Contractors.

PROPOSED PENITENTIARY.

THE TIME FOR THE RECEPTION OF tenders at Ottawa for the building has been extended to the 18th July.

Plans and Specifications to be seen to-morrow at the office of B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, Victoria, B.C., June 18, 1874. } Resident Engineer.
je20

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS ADRESSED TO THE undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Penitentiary, British Columbia," will be received at this office until Saturday, the 4th day of July, next, at Noon, for the erection and completion of the above building.

Plans, Specifications, etc., can be seen at this office and at the office of B. W. Pearse, Esq., C.E., Department of Public Works, British Columbia, on and after Monday the 25th inst., where forms of tender and all necessary information can be obtained.

Contractors are notified that Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signature and the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the same.

For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required on real estate or by deposit of money, public or municipal securities, or bank stocks to an amount of five per cent. on the bulk sum of the contract.

To the tender must be attached the signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of those conditions as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the contract.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender. By order,

F. BRAUN, Secretary.
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 5th May, 1874. } my20

NOTICE.

W. F. HERRE HAS THIS DAY ASSIGNed for the benefit of his creditors all his assets to J. B. Mayerau and E. Grancini, appointed Assignees at a meeting of his creditors held this day at the Driard House.

Victoria, July 4th, 1874. jy5

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER FOR THE GRANville School, Burrard Inlet. Duties to commence in August. Salary $50 per month, together with a house rent free. Apply, stating qualifications, to

RICHD. H. ALEXANDER,
Secty Trustee Board.
Burrard Inlet, B.C., June 30, 1874. jy3

Canadian Pacific Railway.

TELEGRAPH LINE.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE erection of a line of telegraph along the general route of the Canadian Pacific Railway, as may be defined by the Government. The proposals to embrace the following points, viz:

The furnishing of all materials, labor, instruments and everything necessary to put the line in operation.

The maintenance of the line for a period of five years after its completion.

In the Wooded Sections the land to be cleared to a width of 132 feet or such greater width as may be necessary to prevent injury to the telegraph from fires or falling trees.

Distinct proposals to be made for each of the following sections; such proposals to state the time when the party tendering will undertake to have the telegraph ready for use in each case:

(1) Fort Garry to a point opposite Fort Pelly, about 250 miles.

(2) Fort Garry to the bend of the North Saskatchewan, about 500 miles.

(3) Fort Garry to a point in the longitude of Edmonton, about 800 miles.

(4) Lac La Hache, or other convenient point on the existing telegraph system in British Columbia to Fort Edmonton, about 550 miles.

(5) Fort Garry to Nipegon, Lake Superior, about 420 miles.

(6) Ottawa to Nepigon, Lake Superior, about 760 miles.

The above distances are approximate. They are given for the general guidance of parties desiring information. Any increase or diminution in the ascertained mileage after construction will be paid for or deducted, as the case may be, at a rate corresponding with the sum total of the tender.

Parties tendering must satisfy the Government as to their ability to carry out the work and maintain it for the specified time.

Proposals addressed to the Minister of Public Works will be received up to the 22d day of JULY next.

By order, F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works, 18th June, 1874. } jy7dw

To the People of British Columbia and Vancouver District in Particular.

GENTLEMEN:—A report having gone abroad that when the question of limiting the Distillery interests came up in the House of Commons at Ottawa I did not oppose it, I beg to state that such is not the case, as the Journals of the House and the Press will show. I was the only member in the Dominion Parliament that did oppose it, which I did in two distinct speeches, claiming that the Government ought to respect vested rights, which they promised to do. I have, since I came back, heard that the Act was to apply to brewers in this Province. I at once applied to Mr. Dupont, who told me he had represented the case of the Nanaimo Brewery at Ottawa and recommended the granting of a license to Nanaimo, but said he must in the meantime be governed by the Act. I am inclined to think that the matter has been overlooked by the Government and I have telegraphed to Ottawa respecting it. A. BUNSTER.

VICTORIA, July 6th, 1874. jy7dw

New Advertisements.

For Sale Cheap to Close a Consignment.

4 CLIPPER MOWERS,
1 WOOD'S MOWER.

EDGAR MARVIN, - - - - WHARF STREET.
jy11

W. & J. Wilson,

CENERAL OUTFITTERS,

LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.

NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS Scarfs, Collars &c.

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For Sale—To Let.

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FURNISHED, FOR SIX MONTHS, FROM June to December next, the house now occupied by the undersigned on Queen's Avenue.

The premises include a large garden, croquet ground stable, etc. Apply to ALFRED FELLOWS,
ap24 2m Yates street.

FOR SALE.

THE SLOOP "RINGLEADER," 16 tons register, well found in Rigging, Sails, Anchors and every article requisite for immediate service, is offered for sale by the undersigned.

Apply to CHARLES DAKE,
mh29tf* On board.

FOR SALE.

A Rare Chance for Parties to Invest in a Business in the Country.

THE WELL-KNOWN HOTEL AND GENeral Store of LEON ECKSTEIN, now doing a thriving business, is offered for sale on account of the owner having to leave on important business.

The population of the district is rapidly increasing and the store enjoys a large Indian Trade.

From this date goods will be sold at REDUCED RATES FOR CASH!

Attached to the Hotel is a Farm, a beautiful Garden and Fine Orchard. For particulars apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Land Agent.
Or to LEON ECKSTEIN,
my23dw On the premises.

FOR SALE.

THE WELL-KNOWN CALIFORNIA HOUSE at Fort Yale, the head of navigation on the Fraser River, now doing a good business. Terms Moderate. Apply to B. T. MULLEN.

YALE, April 10th, 1874. ap23 2wdw

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE at LOW PRICES the following stock:

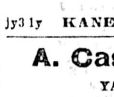
100 Head of young Cows and 2 year old Heifers.

100 Head of Yearling Heifers.

The above can be seen at the foot of Okanagan lake till the 1st of May, and on the 15th May at Kamloops.

THOS. ELLIS.
PENTICTON, Okanagan, March 1, 1874. mh17dw.

SHORTHORNS.



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Will stand at Cloverdale, Saanich Road, Victoria Dist.

Terms for the season $20 without guarantee; a week's pasturage if desired for each cow without extra charge.

For further particulars apply on the premises, or to Messrs. Stafford & Goodacre, Butchers, Government street, Victoria.

Some of "Central Pacific's" Calves can be seen at Cloverdale, and one, a very handsome Heifer Calf, at Capt. George G. Walker's, Yates street, Victoria.
my14dw W. F. TOLMIE.

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GUNSMITH

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GUNS, PISTOLS, SEWING MACHINES, and Locks repaired with dispatch and at Reasonable Rates. ap4 1m

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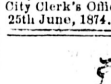

ABLE AND ORDINARY SEAMEN for the ship Mariotta, bound to London; and for the ship Halcyon, for Valparaiso.

Apply to JER. NAGLE,
je23 Shipping Master.

Municipal—Public Notice.

TAKE NOTICE THAT ALL OWNERS OR AGENTS of property in the City of Victoria, B. C., are hereby required to cause to be eradicated all thistles growing upon their lots during the season; and should the said owners or agents fail to comply with this notice, the provisions of the By-Law in such case made and provided, will be strictly enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

City Clerk's Office, 25th June, 1874. } WM. LEIGH, G. M.C.
je26

F. S. BUSHELL,

PIANOFORTE TUNER AND REGULATOR,

jy3 1y KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE Dealers in

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To Be Raffled.

A SINGER SEWING MACHINE (Complete) will be raffled at the Retreat Saloon when the list is filled. Due notice will be given.
my16 85 TICKETS $1 EACH.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$ 76,223 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,196 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	26,218 00	Gold Bullion	4,867 00
Deposits on call not bearing int	107,186 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	1,767 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	303,192 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	241,112 00
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	197,296 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$512,819 00	Total amount of Assets	$550,939 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend $1,261,618

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 30th June, 1874. JAMES CRAIG, Act'g. Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1861."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of July, 1874.
jy9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

C. STROUSS & CO.

OFFER FOR SALE

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

HENNESSY PALE BRANDY, in Qrs. and Octaves;
do DARK do in Qrs. Very Fine, Vintage of 1846.
do do in Cases;
SAZARAC do in Qrs. and Octaves, Vintage of 1854.

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CHAMBERTIN BURGUNDY, in cases.	CALIFORNIA HOCK, in cases.
CHABLIS "	do DRY MUSCATEL "
CLARET "	DUFF GORDON SHERRY, in qr. cks.
CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE "	
Sardines, in qtrs. and hlfs; French Mustard; French Peas	Dried Peaches, in boxes; Teas—Congou, Oolong and Basket; 2,000 Grain Sacks.

Commercial Row, Wharf Street, Victoria.
June 17th, 1874. je18 1m

SPRING GOODS!

1874.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE

HAVE JUST LANDED

Ex "Princess Royal" & "Prince Alfred,"

Large additions to their already extensive Stock of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BLANKETS,

HATS, CAPS, ETC.,

To be supplemented by further Novelties per next & succeeding Steamers

AGENTS FOR

WANZER & CO.'S CELEBRATED SEWING MACHINES.

Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C. my8

MUNICIPAL.

Real Estate and Road Tax.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate and Road Tax for the Current Year are due and payable at the office of the undersigned, Broad street. All persons liable to pay the said taxes are required to do so forthwith or proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

THOS. RUSSELL, Collector.
City Council Chambers, June 12, 1874. je13

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!

MR. DIGBY PALMER BEGS TO announce that he has returned from his annual trip to Puget Sound, and will be pleased to meet his pupils and the public for the purpose of teaching the Pianoforte, Singing, Thorough Bass, Harmony, &c.

Has had 30 years' experience as a Pianoforte Tuner.

FORT STREET, June 16th, 1874. je17

MME. De MEUDON DANCOURT,

Pianist and Teacher of Music,

OFFERS HER SERVICES TO THOSE in search of a musical education. Many years of successful experience as a teacher and performer on the Piano are a guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

Speaks English, German and French.

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Sylvester's OMINECA EXPRESS.

CARRYING THE MAIL AND CONNECTING with Barnard's Express, leaves Quesnelle on the arrival of the first Mail from Yale each month.

Saddle Horses for hire on application.

E. SYLVESTER,
L. J. LEWIS, Messenger. my18dwtu

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 14TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

"Mighty Nimrods."

Messrs. Buler and Jackson, while taking a walk on Sunday afternoon in the neighborhood of Mount Douglas, treed a large she-panther. B. and J. were only armed with fowling-pieces, loaded with No. 6 shot, but they boldly "went for that sheathen" panther, and drove two charges into her body. She then changed her location and ascended another tree. In following her the hunters found the warm body of a young fawn, with the head bitten off and the back tracked with the marks of the panther's claws, lying in the bush. Upon the fawn the panther had been feeding when disturbed by the hunters, who reloading their guns, finally brought the brute to the ground, and dispatched her by cutting her throat. The panther, with the fawn locked in her embrace, were the local "sensation" yesterday, and Buler and Jackson pocketed the Government bounty.

THE Paris correspondent of the London *Standard* thinks that no man of average common sense can believe that Germany will rest on her oars and wait until France has completed the organization which will bring her flagging strength to upwards of a million of men. He agrees with what M. Prevost Paradol said in 1867, that "France and Prussia are two heavy and richly laden trains hurrying on in different directions along the same line of rails." It is sad to think that there is more truth than fancy in these observations, and the two peoples who might be happy will soon begin to cut one another's throats, and gain nothing thereby save an increase of the number of widows, orphans, invalids, graves, and National debts.

THE WORLD'S COFFEE CORNERED.—The remarkable rise in the price of coffee, in the face of the abolition of the tariff on that article, now turns out to have been the result of a vast speculative combination, having its centre in Rotterdam, Antwerp and Hamburg. From these cities the most elaborate and ingenious calculations were calculated, alleging short crop and increasing consumption. Meanwhile the ring kept on buying, and holding for high prices. Late reports are to the effect that 800,000 bags are stored at Antwerp, with more to arrive, and that the yield everywhere the present year will be enormous. Hosts of the speculators are already ruined, having staked their entire capital on the risk.

NOTWITHSTANDING that the *Mail* and some three or four of its minor echoes have pronounced adverse judgment upon Mr. Cartwright's 4 per cent. loan, the *Monetary Times* ventures to remark that the loan was effected at a "good rate," and that "it is apparent from the facts before us that the announcement of a deficit has not damaged our credit in the London market." If the *Times* knew as little of financial matters as the Tory organs, it might perhaps be able to write differently.—*London Advertiser.*

"OCCIDENT" SPEEDED.—At the Agricultural Society's race course, Sacramento, July 4th, Governor Stanford's noted trotter "Occident" was speeded three times. The first trial was a half mile, which was made in 1:08. The second trial of one mile was timed on the Judge,s stand as 2:21¼, and by George Martin, "Occident's" timer, as 2:18½. The third trial was timed on the Judge's stand as 2:22, and by Mr. Martin as 2:20.

FEELING AT BARKERVILLE.—A private telegram from Barkerville announces that the people are much excited at the manifest unfairness of the Breweries Act, which, if enforced, will close the old established brewery of N. Cunio & Co. We feel certain that a proper representation of the facts at Ottawa will secure an Order in Council suspending the operation of the Act.

THE CONCERT.—The non-arrival of the Wm. Taber with the Mme. Anna Bishop Company, disappointed many last evening. We are requested to state that the performance will take place this evening, and that seats may be secured to-day. Those who secured seats for last night may have the numbers cancelled and the money refunded or the reserve extended, on application at the box-office.

PRESENTS OF FRUIT.—Capt. Pritchard has kept the Lunatic Asylum well supplied with cherries during the season for the benefit of the poor patients. Yesterday he sent across another basketful. Such thoughtful liberality is worthy of all praise.

WELLINGTON COLLIERY.—With the development of these important mines quite a town is springing into existence. The community has already been formed into a school district and a Board of Trustees has been appointed. It is probable the school will be in operation in a couple of months.

WILD LAND TAX.—The Court of Appeal under the Wild Land Tax Act, for Victoria District, Esquimalt town and District, North and South Saanich, Metchosin, Sooke, Lake and Highland will hold its last sitting at the Sheriff's Office in this city on Monday, July 20th, at one o'clock.

THE steamer North Pacific, with a Canadian and American mail, arrived from Puget Sound ports yesterday. She had 40 passengers, about 40 tons of flour, feed, etc., and cattle, sheep and horses, usual complement.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Thompson, firm of Hatch & Thompson, dentists, of Portland, will visit Victoria, remaining one month, from the 1st of August to the 1st of September.

IN the Municipal Police Court, yesterday, three drunks and three fast drivers across bridges, were disposed of.

REMOVAL.—*H. SHORT, Gunmaker has removed to Occidental Building, Fort Street, opposite Scotch House.* ***

OLYMPIA has voted to issue county bonds for the building of their railroad.

The Indian Council at Clinton.

INTERESTING ACCOUNT.

CLINTON, B. C., July 7.

EDITOR COLONIST.—I have much pleasure in sending you a report of the Indian Commissioner's progress in this place. The representatives of the twelve tribes—not of Israel—who had made this their centre to meet the King George Tyhee, had been waiting here about two weeks before the date on which he was expected. When it was definitely known on the 29th June that he had left Cache Creek on his way here, great was the excitement in camp. At intervals scouts would dash in with the news, he was within an hour—half an hour's journey, and so on, and when his carriage appeared on the height overlooking the town, their greetings took the usual form of smoke and noise. Behind every tree was a musket and every old stump seemed charged with powder.

On reaching the camp (which consisted of tents gaily decorated with flags for about four hundred men, with their women and children) the Chiefs came forward and paid their respects to the Commissioner, who after the customary greetings arranged to meet them on the following day.

Early next morning, Dr. Powell, in his undress uniform as Lieut.-Col. of Militia, walked to the camp accompanied by the County Court Judge, Mr. O'Reilly. They were again received with a salute of musketry and beating of what might by courtesy be styled a drum, but was really oxen-hide stretched over a soap-box.

The reception tent was a large awning; scrupulously clear, and the ground spread with nice new blankets, on which the correct thing was to lounge. The Commissioner and Judge sat side by side, with the interpreter, Joe Bushey, H.B. Co., slightly in advance. The Chiefs stepped forward each in his turn, said his say, and was replied to by the Commissioner through the medium of his interpreter. Most noticeable of all was the Fountain Chief, Tsch-lo-ko-sultz, tall and erect, with a keen, crafty face. He was dressed in a white buckskin coat with fringe, pantaloons of same, leggings and moccasins, his head adorned with a black fox-skin cap, and a sword hanging by his side.

The tenor of the speeches was as follows, which may be noted for the benefit of those who have not heard an Indian "*wa wa:*"

"When I look on you I recognize in you Queen Victoria; it was very kind of you to come so far to see us and take pity on us. We were very sick and could not sleep when we heard you were not coming, and now you are here we cannot contain our joy, and keep awake all nighs talking of you. We are many, and have very little land; we want more, and secured water rights, as without water to irrigate we cannot farm; with more land to cultivate we should be happy, as we could raise sufficient food for our support. We also want farm tools."

A few made separate requests with apparently entire faith they would be acceded to—as they were. One wanted plough harness; another, after making his obeisance, said a cross-cut saw would make him entirely happy. He had enough land, but a saw! a saw! his kingdom for a saw!

The Commissioner, in replying to the Indians, made a very politic speech, conciliatory and friendly, without familiarity, or, greater error still in dealing with Indians, promising what he could not perform. He told them their rights would be carefully watched, and their grievance as to the want of land looked into. At his departure from camp he was again saluted, and shortly afterwards, as their provisions were exhausted, he sent them a couple of oxen, some flour, tea, sugar, etc.

On Dominion Day the races were held. The Commissioner presented some excellent prizes to be run for, such as a set of harness, a plough, saddle, bridle, spurs, agricultural tools, etc. The races were very well contested, the greatest excitement was over those in which Indian women were the principals. First, the foot-races, in which the bets were made as—2 to 1 on "White Stockings," 4 to 1 on "Blue Jacket," etc., etc. They ran like deer, and preferring a long race to a short one, requested to have the distance doubled. Next came the race of mounted women. Every Indian who had a crack horse put his wife or sweetheart in the saddle and away they went—a field of about forty. At the turn of the road they crowded together and one came to grief by her horse's girth breaking. She was picked up insensible but soon revived. Another broke her arm (which afterwards was set by the Commissioner, who adds to his reputation in the Indian eyes by being a great "medicine man,") The application of a new shawl wonderfully soothed the broken arm, as likewise of two others who were in the race capsized.

At the conclusion of the races the Commissioner left for below. His departure was a most amusing sight from our point of view. The Doctor and the driver of the carriage might be disposed to think differently. The Indians mounted and rode hard after them, firing blank shots at and around the carriage, reloading and firing until their King George Tyhee disappeared over the height in a cloud of smoke, when they returned to camp happy.

It speaks well for the peaceable nature of these Indians, that during their stay here, though their provisions were all but spent, and there was much to tempt them belonging to the whites easy of access, there was not a single act of theft committed. It would not be particularly flattering to the superior morality of their white brethren to inquire, if the cases had been reversed, how many hen-roosts, &c., would have been robbed.

According to the census taken by themselves these twelve tribes number about twelve hundred, have nearly thirteen hundred horses and one hundred head of cattle.

Next day the town returned to its normal condition of quietude. Its late visitants

"Folded their tents like the Arabs,
And as quietly stole away."

"PRIMUS QUINTILIS."

VICTORIA WOODHULL says a grand State convention of women will soon be held here for the purpose of considering the social and free love questions of the day, and declares that California will be the banner State in the grand free love movement.

THE ship Southern Ocean, 29 days from Yokohama, arrived on Sunday. She will load at Moody & Nelson's Mills.

STRAWBERRIES are nearly over for the season.

Nanaimo.

[From the Free Press.]

Arrangements have been made for holding a public tea meeting as a farewell to the Rev. Mr. Derrick. Rev. Mr. Hall, successor to Mr. Derrick, is expected to be present.

The *Wellington Times*, a periodical in manuscript, is announced.

The contract for painting and renovating the Literary Institute has been given out, price $155.

Capt. Spalding has, we regret to learn, been ill, in consequence of which Court was not held last week.

On Friday Mr. Herbert Bevilockway met with a slight accident in the Douglas Pit.

A medical practitioner seems to be required at the Wellington Mines.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—Mr. Fleming, the Scotch immigration agent, whom we have mentioned several times before, was very well pleased with the country between here and Kalama, and has spoken at the N. P. R. R. Land Department for large tracts of it. He wants 20,000 acres of the fertile lands on Hanaford Creek, in Lewis County, on which to locate one hundred thrifty Scotch families, forty of whom will very soon be starting for their distant, future homes. Mr. Fleming has arranged to have his company carried from Liverpool to New York, thence by rail to San Francisco, and thence by steamer to Kalama or Portland, at the very low rate of seventy-five dollars a person.... The wife of the Indian Agent of the Ute tribe has been notified that if she goes to the reservation with her husband she will be killed.... A late special order from Gen. Jeff. C. Davis is that "Capt. H. W. Janes will proceed to Fort Townsend and Camp San Juan Island, to confer with the Post Commander and Post Quartermaster and communicate such detailed instructions as may be necessary in connection with the abandonment of the military post on San Juan Island and the re-establishment of Fort Townsend."

THE high head winds have probably detained the Wm. Taber, which steamship had not put in an appearance up to the hour of our going to press this morning.

THE CABLE between this and San Juan has given out entirely; and some days must elapse before communication will be restored.

TOURISTS.—A party of pleasure-seekers from the East and California arrived by the North Pacific yesterday.

Land and Road Taxes.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 13th, 1874.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—A letter signed South-Thompson appeared in your issue of the 12th inst. with regard to the Land-Tax, and the unequal way in which it is collected. The writer says that considerable money was laid out on the Okanagon last year in making and repairing roads, bridges, etc, but they did not pay their tax, while the Thompson River District paid theirs, although reluctantly, and Okanagon is building roads at the expense of Thompson River, etc.

My attention was called to this letter by a gentleman from the Okanagon, who pointed out to me that nothing has been done for Okanagan, that no money has been spent in roads, bridges, etc., with the exception of some $1,000 in making the Spillamacheen Portage passable. This I know to be a fact, and I must say that no part of the Yale District has been so much overlooked as that of the Okanagan, and yet every effort on the part of the members[?] has been brought to bear to have a waggon-road constructed between O'Keefe's and the Mission, and a trail from the latter place to Osoyoos; but we failed to connect. However, I believe that the building of this road and trail will be favorably considered in the estimates for next year, not forgetting the requirements of the South Thompson District.

With regard to Land Tax, I don't know if there is any property east of the Cascades upon which a tax is assessed and levied according to the Act of 1873. I think that "South Thompson" was thinking about the Road Tax Extension Act, 1873. However a "rose would smell as sweet by any other name." The Road Tax is obnoxious and unpopular. I have done my my best endeavors to repeal or modify the act last year, and if I should happen to be in the House next session, I intend to fight the same battle over again. Taxation in this Province ought to be reduced to equality. ROBT. SMITH.

The Malt Imbroglio.

EDITOR COLONIST.—My attention has just been called to a paragraph in Saturday's *Standard* upon the subject of the Act restricting the manufacture of malt liquor. Refering to the statement that I opposed the measure, your contemporary says:

"In reply to this, we and the public prefer to take rather the testimony of the disinterested, viz., the press of the other side. In the Parliamentary reports we find that Mr. DeCosmos alone, of the British Columbia members, raised his voice against the measure, urging that it would be injurious and detrimental to the Pacific Province."

I, too, "prefer to take rather the testimony of the press" of Canada, and it is by this evidence I am about to prove that your contemporary claims for Mr. DeCosmos what he never did and denies to myself what I did. I hereby challenge the publisher of the *Standard* to produce a single Canadian exchange in the "Parliamentary reports" of which Mr. DeCosmos appears as having either spoken or voted against the measure in question; and to bring the matter to an issue, I now offer to wager one Fifty Dollars (the money to be handed to the Hospital by the winner) that he cannot produce such a paper, because I am well aware that Mr. DeCosmos never raised hand or voice against the measure. In so far as my own action in Parliament is concerned, I have before me a copy of the Ottawa *Citizen*, which any one can see, and from which I make the following extracts:

"Mr. Bunster objected to the clause restricting the manufacture and sale of liquors in British Columbia. There were large quantities of grain in the interior of the Province which could not be utilized unless manufactured into liquor."

Again, when a member of the Government urged as a reason for the restriction, the large Indian population,

"Mr. Bunster said the Indians of British Columbia were very intelligent, and he would prefer to see them educated to go up to the bar like white people, and pay for good liquors, instead of getting the vile stuff sold them by traders."

These extracts may be considered meagre, but it is seldom that what is said in Committee of the House is reported at greater length. But, brief as they are, they will suffice to prove that I did "raise my voice" in opposition to the measure, and that more than once. I have already challenged your contemporary to prove as much for its master.

Now for the promise: I found the Government decidedly averse to any alteration in the Bill; but they took power to meet the case of British Columbia by Order in Council, and, after I had spoken twice and pointed out to the best of my ability the injustice it would do in this Province, the Hon. Mr. Dorion (then Minister of Justice) promised me that vested rights (i. e. existing establishments) in British Columbia should be protected. Relying upon that promise, I pushed my opposition no further. Why it has not been kept, I am unable to say. Possibly your theory about Mr. Dorion having immediately thereafter retired from the Ministry is correct. As has already been stated, upon learning that no provision had been made for protecting vested rights in this Province, I lost no time in making such representations, by telegraphing to the head of the Government at Ottawa and otherwise, as will, I have no doubt, result in speedy justice being done.

In regard to your valuable journal being "the organ of Bunster," I feel that I cannot pay you a higher compliment than to say that, so far as my experience and observation go, the BRITISH COLONIST is "the organ" of the People,—its columns ever open to those who, like myself, are misrepresented and villified in a paper which refuses the common right of defence.

1tdw A. BUNSTER.

Dominion Mail Summary.

OTTAWA, June 27.

His Excellency and Countess Dufferin will visit Toronto on the 10th July, and will go to Lake Simcoe previous to taking his trip to Lake Superior.

The British Minister, Sir E. Thornton, sailed for Europe to-day.

A proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-General is published to the effect that all Inland Revenue laws of Canada, and all laws respecting the collection and management of the Revenue derived thereunder, are applied to and will be enforced in Manitoba.

Canadian cheese is coming into special favour in the English market. The *Pall Mall Gazette* and the *Grocer*, a special organ of the trades, have lately had articles especially laudatory of Canadian cheese. This fact is worthy of especial note, the more particularly since the Canadians come in direct competition with the Americans, whose experience in this line is much older than that of Canada.

Hon, Mr. Cockburn has been appointed Solicitor to the Bank of Montreal. A better appointment could not have been made.

Premier Walkem has arrived from British Columbia.

It is likely that Mr. Geoffrion will be sworn in as Minister of Inland Revenue during next week or within the next ten days, and Hon. Mr. Fournier as Minister of Justice.

Quebec journals are prophecying that the Hon. Malcolm Cameron is to replace the Hon Mr. Morris as Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba. This report, doubtless looks a good way ahead; but we may say that no better appointment could be made for the position than that of the Hon. Malcolm Cameron.

Hon. Sydney Smith has resigned the position of Inspector of Registry Offices with a view to re-enter political life in the Local Legislature.

Lieut.-Colonel Forrest is relieved from command of the Ottawa Brigade of Garrison Artillery. In consideration of his long service. Lieut.-Colonel Forrest is placed on the retired list, retaining his rank.

OTTAWA, June 29.—The thermometer registered to-day 93° in the shade, being the hottest day we have had.

The French Canadian Convention closed yesterday. A motion to place Louis Riel as the representative man of Manitoba on a committee was withdrawn, principally owing to the opposition of the President, Judge Coursol. Immediately prior to adjournment a resolution in favor of amnesty was introduced, but after a warm discussion, during which the American delegates taunted the Canadian delegates with abject submission to Ontario, was defeated.

The following graceful compliment is rendered to Mr. Brydges:—"In permitting Lieut.-Colonel Brydges to retain his rank on retiring, His Excellency the Governor-General desires to record the sense he entertains of the services rendered by Lieut.-Colonel Brydges in the militia generally, and especially of his assistance in organizing the G. T. R. Brigade."

Mr. George Ruthvan, of Levis, is the inventor of a machine for the manufacture of gas. The gas is produced from gasoline, and consists of 90 per cent of air and 100 of napthline gas. The quantity of gasoline liquid required for 100 lights for a month is stated to be one gallon, costing about 56 cents. The inventor is in negotiation with American capitalists for the sale of the patent.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 29. — Preserved lobsters valued $40,110 were shipped today in a vessel for England.

Hon. Mr. Ross, Minister of Militia, arrived to-day from Ottawa.

H. M. S. Spartan arrived on Sunday from Bermuda. Two others are expected—the Doris from Gibraiter, and the Sphynx from Jamaica. They will attend the naval court-martial on the wrecked Niobe, at Miquelon, to be held shortly.

Cod fishing on the eastern shores of P. E. Island has been more than usually productive this spring.

In Gabarus Bay, Cape Breton, there is reported to be a larger catch of mackerel than for twenty years. Reports from along shore indicate that the recent gale was almost equal in violence to the great gale of August last. Much damage has been done to fishing boats and gear. Three fishermen were drowned by the upsetting of their boat off Ragged Islands.

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. ***

GOOD NEWS for the lovers of Myrtle Navy and Solace Tobacco. A fresh supply just received ex Wm. Taber and for sale at J. H. Todd's, Yates street. ***

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LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, July 11. — Two gentlemen from Venzuela have arrived in this city who have a commission from President pro tem. of Cuba to treat with Captain General Concha about a compromise between the Cubans and Spaniards.

A fire broke out in the oil department at Weehawken, N.J., and is still burning, without the possibility of it being extinguished before the oil is burned. All the oil tanks, with many warehouses and neighboring buildings, are burned or badly damaged. From 60,000 to 70,000 barrels of oil are burned. The coal wharf of the Erie R.R. for a distance of 500 feet has been burned. The loss is placed at $800,000, said to be covered by insurance.

BOSTON, July 11.—A report from Washington says the intended resignation of Vice President Wilson is without foundation. His health is better.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Mortimor Manshaw, a well-known Fenian and lately writer for the weekly papers, was found to-day dying from the effects of a potion of Paris green, and in the same room was found the already decomposing body of his wife, who died from taking poison.

Capt. Taylor, who was sent out to examine the Erie R.R. accounts, sailed today for England.

RALEIGH, N.C., July 11. — Gov. Caldwell died this evening at Hillsborough of cholera morbus.

Europe.

PARIS, July 11—An article in to-day's *Figaro* inciting revolt against the decisions of the Assembly occasioned much irritation among the deputies. There was a warm debate on the article, during which Dupeigne said the *Figaro* had been suspended for two weeks, nevertheless the Left moved the interpellation be postponed for a month. Brisson, of the extreme Left, moved that the writer of the objectionable article be called to the bar of the House, and he accused the government of partiality in its punishment of journals. Brisson's motion was rejected after a speech by Gambetta, in which he hinted that the Assembly was a corpse fit for the grave-digger. The Left Centre anticipate a majority of fifteen for Cassimer's bill, which proposes a reorganization of a definitive republic.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—Chas. King's fine wine cellar at St. Helena, Sonoma County, was burned yesterday. Loss about $30,000.

The British steamer Tartar will not return to Australia, but will sail on the 23d for Yokohama and Shanghai, load tea and proceed to London via the Suez Canal.

There were 25 deaths in this city during the week—13 from cholera infantum. No small-pox patients are in the pest-house, and it is believed that there are none in the city.

Common Salvation.

The Gospel river of life does not branch out into divers streams. There is not a broad sweep of water for the rich, the intellectual, and the cultivated, and the little scant tunnel where the poor may now and then come and get healed by the side of its precarious wave. There is no costly sanatorium, beneath whose shade pattrician leprosy may be sprinkled and healed. Naaman, with all his retinue watching, must come, and dip, and plunge like common men in Jordan. There is no sort of salvation except the one ransom and deliverance that is purchased for rich and poor together by the sacrifice of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the poor beggar, his garment ragged from the havoc of a hundred storms, and his flesh bleeding from the ulcers of a hundred wounds, may dip eagerly into the same Bethesda, and emerge unscarred and comely as a child.—*W. M. Punshon, L. L. D.*

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA.

MONDAY, the 27th day of April, 1874.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the fourth Section of the Act 36 Vic., chap. 55, entitled "An Act respecting Wreck and Salvage"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

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Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 daw

JOHN RICHARDSON STUART, DECEASED. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." NOTICE is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any claim or demand against the Estate of John Richardson Stuart, formerly of 9 Stanhope street, Regent's Park, in the County of Middlesex, but late of Vancouver's Island, a Captain retired from Her Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot (who died on about the 14th day of May, 1872, at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, aforesaid, Letters of Administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 3rd day of September, 1873, to Louisa Maria Stuart, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me the undeisigned, the Solicitor for the said Administratrix, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, after which date the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have received notice.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1874.

J. EDWARD CURTERS,
St George's Hall, East Stonehouse, Devon, England.
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PAULINA ELIZABETH STUART, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees," NOTICE is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Paulina Elizabeth Stuart (wife of John Richardson Stuart) formerly of No. 9 Stanhope street, Regent's Park, in the County of Middlesex, but late of Vancouver's Island, (who died on or about the 6th day of July, 1865,) at Victoria, Vancouver's Island aforesaid, Letters of Administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 11th day of September, 1873, to Louisa Maria Stuart, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said Administratrix, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, after which date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Administratrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have received notice.

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JAMES COOPER,
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, Agent.
Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1874. my17dw

Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

Lat. 48 deg. 47 min. 48 sec. N.
Long. 125 deg. 12 min. 52 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 19 miles.

The Tower is a square building, painted light stone color, elevated 35 feet from summit to centre of light, with detached oblong dwelling house, painted same color. The light will be visible from an Easterly bearing, parallel with the coast round to W. by N. ½ N. Caution is hereby given that the light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of E. ½ N., as foul ground extends off the entrances to Barclay Sound.

All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
Department of Marine & Fisheries,
Ottawa, 20th April, 1874. my22 2m

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